RAILROAD COMMISSION OF TEXAS

OFFICE OF GENERAL COUNSEL OIL & GAS SECTION

OIL AND GAS DOCKET NO. 04-0227352

ENFORCEMENT ACTION AGAINST EL RIO OIL & GAS COMPANY (OPERATOR NO. 250577) FOR VIOLATIONS OF STATEWIDE RULES ON THE LUTZ (08281) LEASE, HIDALGO COUNTY, TEXAS

FINAL ORDER

The Commission finds that after statutory notice the captioned enforcement proceeding was heard by the examiner who has circulated a Proposal for Decision containing Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law. Having been duly submitted to the Railroad Commission of Texas at conference held in its offices in Austin, Texas, those Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law are hereby adopted and made a part hereof by reference.

It is accordingly **ORDERED** that this docket be, and the same is hereby, dismissed with prejudice.

It is further **ORDERED** by the Commission that this order shall not be final and effective until 20 days after it is actually mailed to the parties by the Commission; provided that if a motion for rehearing is filed by any party at interest within such 20-day period, this order shall not become final until such motion is overruled, or if rehearing is granted, this order shall be subject to further action by the Commission. Pursuant to Tex. Gov't Code § 2001.146(e), the time allotted for Commission action on a motion for rehearing in this case prior to its being overruled by operation of law, is hereby extended until 90 days from the date the order is served on the parties.

Noncompliance with the provisions of this order is subject to enforcement by the Attorney General and subject to civil penalties of up to \$10,000.00 per day per violation.

Done this 8th day of April, 2003, in Austin, Texas.

	RAILROAD COMMISSION OF TEXAS
	CHAIRMAN MICHAEL L. WILLIAMS
	COMMISSIONER CHARLES R. MATTHEWS
ATTEST:	COMMISSIONER VICTOR G. CARRILLO
SECRETARY	